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SUBJECT: EXPORT OF MULTIPLE COMPUTER SYSTEM TO THE USSR-
IL 1565

REF: BEWT CASE NO. 252123(CONTROL DATA CORP.)

1) THE UNITED STATES DELEGATION IS REQUESTED TO SUBMIT
THIS CASE TO THE COMMITTEE PURSUANT TO COCOM DOC. REG.(77)1,
PARAGRAPH 4(B).

2) THE UNITED STATES AUTHORITIES HAVE BEEN ASKED TO
APPROVE THE EXPORT TO THE USSR OF THE FOLLOWING EQUIPMENT
WITH A TOTAL VALUE OF 8,037,779 DOLLARS AND COVERED BY IL
1565:

1 TYPE CYBER 172 COMPUTER SYSTEM
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2 TYPE RDS 500 COMPUTER SYSTEMS
3 TYPE HP 21-M/20 COMPUTER SYSTEMS

A DETAILED LISTING OF THE COMPUTER EQUIPMENT PROPOSED FOR
EXPORT IS PROVIDED AS ATTACHMENT 1.

3) THIS EQUIPMENT IS CONSIGNED TO THE MINISTRY OF GEOLOGY

(PACIFIC OCEAN EXPEDITION), SEN KATAYAMA 6, YUZHNO

SAKHALINSK, WHERE IT WILL BE USED IN PROCESSING SEISMIC DATA COLLECTED IN THE SURROUNDING SOVIET TERRITORIAL WATERS.

4) THE CYBER 172 INCLUDES A MAIN MEMORY OF 3.92 MBITS, AND A PROGRAMMABLE COMMUNICATIONS PROCESSOR TO ENABLE CONNECTION OF THE HP21-M/20 CONTROLLED INTERACTIVE GRAPHIC SYSTEM. THE 2550-2 PROGRAMMABLE COMMUNICATIONS PROCESSOR HAS BEEN MODIFIED TO LIMIT THE TRANSMISSION RATE OF CONNECTED LINES TO 2400 BPS OR LESS. THE COMMITTEE MAY RECALL ITS APPROVAL OF A SIMILAR SEISMIC PROCESSING DATA SYSTEM IN CONNECTION WITH COCOM DOC (76) 1260.

5) A COMPARISON OF THE PROPOSED SYSTEMS PARAMETERS WITH NOTE 12(G) TO IL 1565 ARE PROVIDED IN ATTACHMENT 2 (PAGES 1 - 4). BLOCK DIAGRAMS OF THE PROPOSED SYSTEM ARE PROVIDED AS ATTACHMENT 3.

6) ISSUANCE OF A US EXPORT LICENSE FOR THE TRANSACTION WILL BE CONTINGENT UPON THE CONDITIONS AS OUTLINED IN ATTACHMENT 4. UNITED STATES AUTHORITIES BELIEVE THESE CONDITIONS MEET AND EXCEED THOSE PROSCRIBED IN SUBITEMS (D) AND (E) OF NOTE 12 TO IL 1565.
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7) THE UNITED STATES AUTHORITIES CONSIDER THIS EXPORT REASONABLE AND APPROPRIATE FOR THE STATED END-USE. THEY WISH TO APPROVE IT UNDER THE URGENCY PROCEDURE SET FORTH IN COCOM DOC. REG. (77)1, PARAGRAPH 4(B), AS APPLICANT HAS TO MEET AN INSTALLATION DEADLINE, AND WOULD APPRECIATE THE VIEWS OF MEMBER GOVERNMENTS.

FYI-- ATTACHMENTS 1 THRU 4 HAVE BEEN AIRMAILED FROM COMMERCE ON 8/10/77. CHRISTOPHER

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